

BILL NO. 1995

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 5-25, ARTICLE I, CHAPTER 5 OF THE CUBA CITY CODE CONCERNING THE KEEPING OF HOGS, SWINE AND LIVESTOCK.

Be it ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Cuba, Missouri, as follows:

Section 1: Section 5-25(A) Article I, Chapter 5 of the Cuba City Code shall be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5-25 (A). Hogs, Swine, and Livestock. It shall be unlawful to keep or permit a hog or swine, including the species known as the Vietnamese Pot Belly Pig, or any livestock or farm animals, including, but not limited to rabbits, goats, ducks, cows, and horses, to remain on his/her premises within the City of Cuba, Missouri.

Sec. 5-25(B). Chickens. Chickens may be kept within the city limits within the following regulations:

- (1) No more than five female chickens are allowed per residence. In the event chickens are acquired at an age when gender cannot be determined, any male chickens must be removed within ten days of the date that gender can be determined.
- (2) Chickens are limited to lots zoned single-family residential and with a valid occupancy permit. Coup size must be a minimum of 4 square feet per chicken. An additional 10 square feet per chicken is required in an attached run to allow for the chickens to exercise and roam. Enclosure must be constructed to prohibit fowl from running at large or taking flight and to protect them from predators and natural elements.
- (3) Enclosures must be located in the back of the residence away from the street. Enclosure must be kept and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition and free from all obnoxious smells or substances.
- (4) The Animal Control Officer shall upon complaint or on their own initiative inspect premises upon which fowl are kept and ascertain and determine whether the conditions are unsanitary or if for any reason a nuisance is caused thereby. If the Animal Control Officer determines that conditions are unsanitary, or if for any reason a nuisance exists, it shall order the owner or occupant of the premises to abate the nuisance and shall thereupon be unlawful to keep such fowl on the premises.
- (5) Slaughter within the City is prohibited.
- (6) Any chicken removed by the animal control officer shall be sold, adopted, or destroyed if not claimed within 5 days.
- (7) Any person wishing to keep chickens within the City Limits shall purchase a permit at the City Hall or Cuba Animal Control for a fee of \$10.00 and be renewed annually after inspection by the Animal Control Officer.

Section 2: This Ordinance shall be effective from and after the date of its passage and approval.

READ TWO TIMES AND PASSED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF CUBA, MISSOURI, THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2021.

CODY LEATHERS, MAYOR

Attest:

CHRISTINE NASH, CITY CLERK
(City Seal)

Approved this _____ day of _____, 2021.

CODY LEATHERS, MAYOR

Attest:

CHRISTINE NASH, CITY CLERK
(City Seal)

Approved as to the form.
WILLIAMS, ROBINSON, RIGLER & BUSCHJOST, P.C.

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